GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
LOK SABHA

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LAYING OF GAS PIPE LINES BY GAIL
Kharventhan Shri Salarapatty Kuppusamy

Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Gas Authority of India (GAIL) has proposed to lay pipelines for supply of gas by investing about Rs.4500 crore;

(b) if so the details and locations thereof; and

(c) the manner in which the money is proposed to be collected for such huge investment?

Answer

MINISTER OF PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS & PANCHAYATI RAJ (SHRI MANI SHANKAR AIYAR)

(a) & (b): GAIL (India) Limited propose to spend Rs.3124 crore as plan Capital Expenditure for the year 2005-06 towards gas pipeline projects. These projects include the Dahej-Uran Pipeline, Jagdishpur-Haldia pipeline, Vijaipur-Kota pipeline, Dadri-Panipat pipeline, Thulendi-Phulpur Pipeline, etc.

(c): The project expenditure would be met by GAIL out of its internal resources and external borrowings.